



## COAL MINING AND RECLAMATION PERMIT APPLICATION TO REVISE A PERMIT (ARP)

**Issued To:** AMERICAN ENERGY CORP  
43521 Mayhugh Hill Rd.  
Beallsville, OH 43716

**Permit Number:** D-425  
**Application Number:** R-425-12

**Telephone:** (740) 926-9162

**Effective:** 06/06/2003  
**Expires:** 10/21/2004

**ARP Type:**  
Add Sump

The issuance of this ARP means only that the application to conduct a coal mining operation meets the requirements of Chapter 1513 of the Revised Code, and as such DOES NOT RELIEVE the operator of any obligation to meet other federal, state or local requirements.

This ARP is issued in accordance with and subject to the provisions, conditions, and limitations of Chapter 1513 of the Revised Code and Chapters 1501:13-1, 1501:13-3 through 1501:13-14 of the Administrative Code.

The approved water monitoring plan for this ARP is:

**Quality:** N/A  
**Quantity:** N/A

**Note:** Any previous condition(s) imposed on this permit, or subsequent adjacent areas, also apply to this ARP unless noted otherwise.

**Signature:**

Chief, Mineral Resources Management

**Date:** 06/06/2003

OHIO DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES  
DIVISION OF MINERAL RESOURCES MANAGEMENT

## APPLICATION TO REVISE A COAL MINING PERMIT

Note: Refer to the Division's "General Guidelines for Processing ARPs" and "Requirements for Specific Types of Common ARPs" for guidance on submitting and processing ARPs.

1. Applicant's Name AMERICAN ENERGY CORPORATION

Address 43521 MAYHUGH HILL ROAD

City BEALLSVILLE State OHIO Zip 43716

Telephone No. 740 - 926 - 9152

2. Permit No. D-0425

3. Section of mining and reclamation plan to be revised:

PART 3, PAGE 30, ITEM H.(4)

4. Describe in detail the proposed revision and submit any necessary drawings, plans, maps, etc.:

THIS PROPOSED REVISION IS TO ADD A SUMP TO THE PLAN. SEE ATTACHED ADDENDUM.

5. Describe in detail the reason for requesting the revision:

THE SUMP WILL BE UTILIZED ABOVE POND 018A TO PROVIDE BETTER TRAPPING EFFICIENCY BEFORE RUNOFF ENTERS POND 018A.

6. Will this revision constitute a significant alteration from the mining and reclamation operations contemplated in the original permit? Yes, X No.

(Note: refer to paragraph (E) (2) of 1501 : 13-4-06 of the Ohio Administrative Code to determine if a revision is deemed significant.)

If "yes", complete the following items 7 through 9.

ORIGINAL

7. In the space below give the name and address of the newspaper in which the public notice is to be published.

N/A

8. In the space below give the text of the public notice that is to be published. (Include the information required by paragraph (A) (1) of 1501 : 13-05-01 of the Ohio Administrative Code.)

N/A

9. In the space below give the name and address of the public office where this application is to be filed for public viewing.

N/A

I, the undersigned, a responsible official of the applicant, do hereby verify the information contained in this revision request is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Robert D. Moore

Print Name

4/22/03  
Date

[Signature]

Signature

President

Title

Sworn before me and subscribed in my presence this 22nd day of April 20 03.



BARBARA L. RUSH  
NOTARY PUBLIC, STATE OF OHIO  
MY COMMISSION EXPIRES 9-01-04

[Signature]  
Notary Public

**APPROVED**

FOR DIVISION USE ONLY

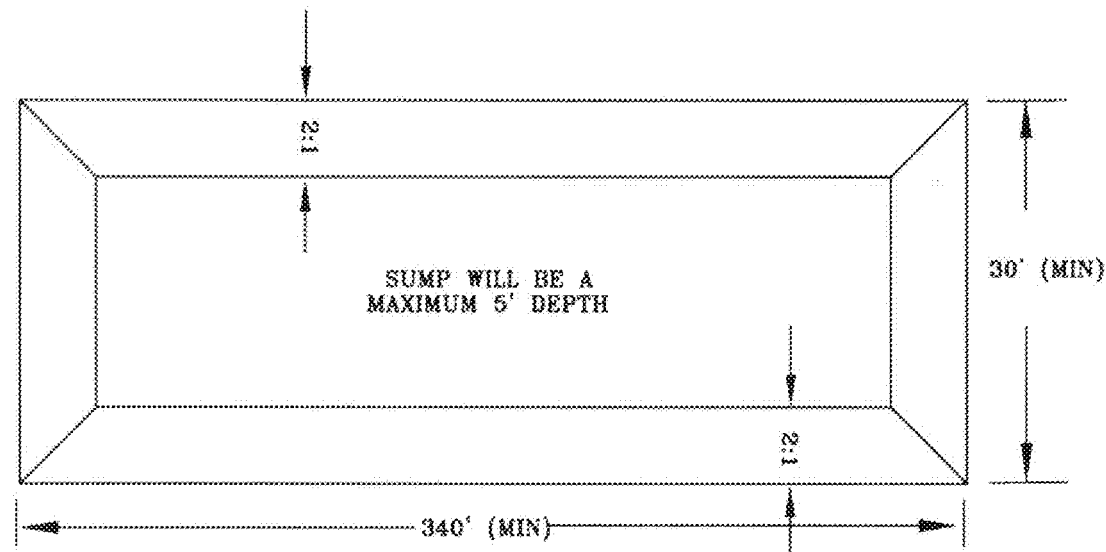
This request is hereby

[Signature]  
Chief, Division of Mineral Resources Management

6/6/2003  
Date



# SUMP



SUMP PLAN VIEW  
(NOT TO SCALE)

*Donald M. Brafford*  
DONALD M. BRAFFORD, P.E.  
4-11-03



ADDENDUM TO A.R.P., ITEM 4  
AMERICAN ENERGY CORPORATION  
PERMIT D-0425

## ODNR-Division of Mineral Resources Management

**ARP REVIEW TRACKING SHEET**

<b>APPLICANT</b>	American Energy Corp.	<b>ARP #</b>	R-425-12
<b>ARP SUMMARY</b>	Add Sump		
<b>DISTRICT</b>	Cambridge	<b>APP. MANAGER</b>	Treva Knasel
<b>DATE RECEIVED BY APPLICATION MANAGER</b>		4-30-2003	

	YES	NO
1. Is the ARP a <b>SIGNIFICANT REVISION</b> ? If yes, complete and attach significant ARP Cover Sheet.		X
2. Were there public comments and/or an informal conference requested? If yes, a written response must be sent to those providing comments at the time the ARP is either approved or disapproved.		

**INITIAL REVIEW**

Check applicable reviewers and indicate date(s) the ARP was distributed and comments returned

	Date Sent for Review	Date Response	ACCEPTABLE	
			YES	NO
Jack Johannes (Soils)				
Mike Mann (Blasting)				
Scott Stiteler (Ownership)				
X Engineer: Scott McDiffitt	5-14-2003	5-20-03	✓	
Hydrologist:				
X Field ES: Kevin Ricks	5-14-2003	5-29-03	✓	
X Inspector: John Puterbaugh	5-14-2003	6-2-03	✓	
Other:				
<b>Date Revisions Sent to Applicant</b>		<b>Revisions Rec'd from Applicant</b>		

**SECOND REVIEW**

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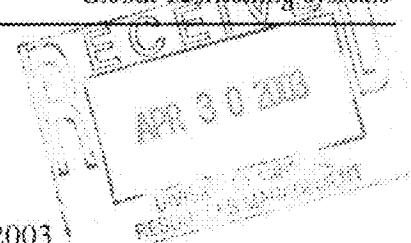
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## LETTER OF TRANSMITTAL



TO: Mr. Scott Stiteler  
ODNR, Div. of Mineral Resources Mgt.  
1855 Fountain Square Court  
Columbus, Ohio 43224

DATE: April 29, 2003  
COMM.# 02001  
RE: A.R.P. D-0425 & D-1159  
American Energy Corp.

WE ARE SENDING: ☒ Attached ☐ Under Separate Cover

BY THE FOLLOWING METHOD: U.S. Mail

DATE	NO.	DESCRIPTION
4/22/03	4	Sets A.R.P. D-0425 Application
4/22/03	4	Sets A.R.P. D-1159 Application

THESE ARE TRANSMITTED: ☒ For Your Use ☐ As Requested ☒ For Review/Comment ☐ Returned

REMARKS:

COPY TO American Energy Corp.,  
John Puterbaugh and FILE

SIGNED

*Johnnie Biggs*



## ARP REVIEW DUE DATE LETTER

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**Application Manager:** Treva Knasel

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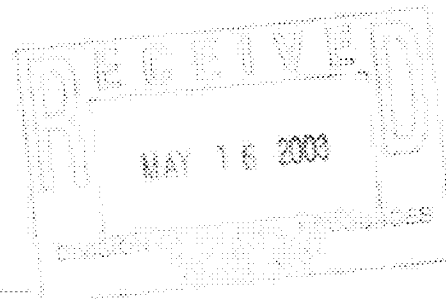
This sheet is to be completed by the Permitting, Hydrology Bonding Section Application Manager and attached to any ARP documents that are being sent to technical and other staff for review. A separate sheet is to be completed for each reviewer.

**Date Sent:** 05/14/2003

**Date Review Due:** 06/04/2003

- ☐ Hydrologist:
- ☒ Inspector: John Puterbaugh
- ☐ Field Team Leader:
- ☒ Environmental Specialist: Kevin Ricks
- ☒ Engineer: Scott McDiffitt *Carb*
- ☐ Blasting Plan:
- ☐ Soil Scientist:
- ☐ Archaeologist:

If applicable, date ARP was put on public file: \_\_\_\_\_



### COMMENTS:

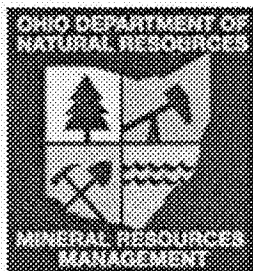
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**Signature:** *Scott McDiffitt*

**Date:** *5/20/03*





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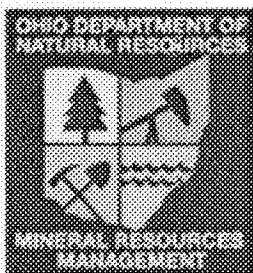
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**Signature:** *John Puterbaugh*

**Date:** 6-2-03

A4 Rev: 07/01/2001